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Print-receptive, pill-resistant, knitted fabric

(C) QUESTEL 1994  
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PN - US6253582 B1 20010703 [US6253582]  
TI - (B1) Print-receptive, pill-resistant, knitted fabric  
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DT - Basic  
CT - US4071502; DE2642350; FR2230794; GB1517832; JP48-61798  
Pp. 13-15 from Knitting Technology, 2nd Edition, by David J.  
Spencer "A Comprehensive Handbook and Practical Guide to Modern  
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STG - (B1) U.S. Patent (no pre-grant pub.) after Jan. 2, 2001  
AB - A print-receptive, pill-resistant, knitted fabric and printed  
article of apparel. The fabric is knitted from yarn formed from  
high-tenacity, staple synthetic fiber having a tenacity value of  
greater than about 4 grams/denier and preferably about 6  
grams/denier. The resulting knitted fabric has a pilling  
resistance value of greater than about 3. In the preferred  
embodiment, the high-tenacity, staple synthetic fiber is selected  
from the group consisting of air jet spun polyester; nylon;  
acrylic; and polypropylene. The use of staple fibers improves the  
hand, drape and comfort of the knitted fabric. Also, in the  
preferred embodiment, the knitted fabric is a double-knit fabric  
having a front side and a back side, the front side being formed  
from the high-tenacity, staple synthetic fiber and the back side  
being substantially formed from cellulosic yarns, such as cotton  
and synthetic cellulosic fibers. This construction improves both  
comfort and opacity of the knitted fabric while, at the same time,  
provides a print-receptive face and good print resolution of the  
article of apparel after multiple home washings.  
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